

INFORMATION BULLETIN

WORKFORCE INVESTMENT ACT

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TO: WORKFORCE DEVELOPMENT COMMUNITY

SUBJECT: FORMULA RAPID RESPONSE FUNDING AWARDS

The purpose of this information bulletin is to announce the formula-based Rapid Response funding being provided to Local Workforce Investment Areas (LWIA) for the period from July 1, 2006, through June 30, 2007. This funding will be provided on the basis of an awards formula described in Workforce Investment Act (WIA) Draft Directive WIADD-117.

The amount of funding being provided to each LWIA is shown in the right-hand column of the Attachment, under the heading "Total PY 06-07 Formula RR Funding with Hold Harmless."

This funding is being provided to each of California's LWIAs to allow them to implement the policies adopted by the California Workforce Investment Board, as described in WIADD-117. Each award of funds will be used to defray the cost of required and allowable Rapid Response activities in response to layoffs, business closures, and natural disasters.

These formula Rapid Response funds will be placed into one Grant Code (540 or 541) in each LWIA's subgrant.

As specified in WIADD-117 and WIA Information Bulletin [WIAB05-88](#), reporting of expenditure of these funds will no longer need to specify whether expenditures were for required or for allowable activities, as defined in the Workforce Investment Act (WIA) regulations Sections 665.310 and 665.320, and as further defined in WIADD-117.

Further, WIADD-117 broadens the use of formula Rapid Response funds to authorize expenditures for employer outreach and job development as specified in WIA regulations Section 667.262(b). Such uses may not, however, prevent provision of the full scope of required Rapid Response activities (as described in WIA regulations Section 665.310) throughout the year.

Expenditures for activities other than those described in WIA regulations Sections 665.310, 665.320, and 667.262(b) will not be reimbursed by the State under the formula Rapid Response grant code. These activities must be paid with other WIA funds or with non-WIA funds.

The State may provide a portion of the Program Year (PY) 2006–07 formula Rapid Response funds prior to the beginning of that program year. If provided, these “bridge” funds would be added to each LWIA’s PY 2005–06 subgrant but would not be available for use until July 1, 2006.

If bridge funding is provided in advance of the program year, the balance of formula Rapid Response funding for PY 2006–07 will be awarded immediately upon approval of the State budget.

If you have questions, please contact your [Regional Advisor](#) at (916) 654-7799.

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Attachment

Formula-Based Rapid Response Funding for Program Year 2006-07

	Baseline Funding	Dislocation- Based Funding	Total PY 06-07 Formula RR Funding w/o Hold Harmless	Total PY 06-07 Formula RR Funding with Hold Harmless
Alameda County	\$100,782	\$377,648	\$478,430	\$478,430
Anaheim	\$100,782	\$295,591	\$396,372	\$396,372
Carson/Lomita/Torrance	\$100,782	\$144,568	\$245,350	\$274,786
Contra Costa	\$100,782	\$134,980	\$235,761	\$235,761
Foothill	\$100,782	\$219,434	\$320,216	\$320,216
Fresno City/County	\$100,782	\$32,270	\$133,051	\$348,939
Golden Sierra	\$250,782	\$142,540	\$393,322	\$393,322
Humboldt	\$100,782	\$39,830	\$140,612	\$140,612
Imperial	\$100,782	\$0	\$100,782	\$100,782
Kern/Inyo/Mono	\$200,782	\$25,447	\$226,229	\$258,733
Kings	\$100,782	\$0	\$100,782	\$100,782
Long Beach	\$100,782	\$225,704	\$326,485	\$331,224
Los Angeles City	\$100,782	\$763,778	\$864,560	\$939,551
Los Angeles County	\$100,782	\$874,049	\$974,830	\$974,830
Madera	\$100,782	\$3,688	\$104,470	\$104,470
Marin	\$100,782	\$38,355	\$139,137	\$139,137
Mendocino	\$100,782	\$26,000	\$126,782	\$126,782
Merced	\$100,782	\$177,391	\$278,173	\$278,173
Monterey	\$100,782	\$120,412	\$221,194	\$221,194
Mother Lode	\$250,782	\$78,185	\$328,967	\$328,967
Napa	\$100,782	\$38,539	\$139,321	\$147,475
NoRTEC	\$550,782	\$198,966	\$749,748	\$749,748
North Central Counties	\$300,782	\$113,958	\$414,740	\$414,740
NOVA	\$100,782	\$436,287	\$537,068	\$548,831
Oakland	\$100,782	\$139,590	\$240,371	\$240,371
Orange County	\$100,782	\$477,776	\$578,558	\$676,041
Richmond	\$100,782	\$17,333	\$118,115	\$118,115
Riverside County	\$100,782	\$253,548	\$354,330	\$412,309
Sacramento	\$100,782	\$246,910	\$347,691	\$433,082
San Benito	\$100,782	\$4,426	\$105,207	\$105,207
San Bernardino City	\$100,782	\$0	\$100,782	\$102,981
San Bernardino County	\$100,782	\$102,894	\$203,676	\$317,584
San Diego	\$100,782	\$750,502	\$851,283	\$851,283
San Francisco	\$100,782	\$309,052	\$409,833	\$409,833
San Joaquin	\$100,782	\$215,193	\$315,975	\$315,975
San Jose/Silicon Valley	\$100,782	\$283,789	\$384,571	\$459,966
San Luis Obispo	\$100,782	\$0	\$100,782	\$134,825
San Mateo County	\$100,782	\$419,506	\$520,288	\$520,288
Santa Ana	\$100,782	\$171,306	\$272,088	\$272,088
Santa Barbara	\$100,782	\$20,099	\$120,881	\$143,209
Santa Cruz	\$100,782	\$18,071	\$118,853	\$144,827
SELACO	\$100,782	\$43,702	\$144,484	\$150,270
Solano County	\$100,782	\$37,433	\$138,215	\$138,215
Sonoma County	\$100,782	\$196,384	\$297,166	\$297,166
South Bay	\$100,782	\$23,234	\$124,016	\$386,642
Stanislaus County	\$100,782	\$79,107	\$179,889	\$179,889
Tulare County	\$100,782	\$25,078	\$125,860	\$184,622
Ventura County	\$100,782	\$323,619	\$424,401	\$424,401
Verdugo	\$100,782	\$467,450	\$568,232	\$568,232
Yolo County	\$100,782	\$0	\$100,782	\$105,555
Statewide Total	\$6,089,083	\$9,133,624	\$15,222,707	\$16,446,831